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## RESPONSE TO SECOND FINAL OFFICIAL ACTION

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This document is filed in response to the final Official Action mailed on December 14, 2005, in the above-captioned application, setting a shortened period for response of February 14, 2006. This response has been filed within two months of the date that the Official Action was mailed, and an Advisory Action is therefore respectfully solicited.

The Examiner's rejections and objections have been carefully considered as set forth in the final Official Action and previous office actions. In view of the following remarks and amendments, entry of the amendments followed by reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims is courteously requested.

Please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 3 of this response.

Remarks, including an Interview Summary, begin on page 7 of this response.

Conclusion begins on page 9 of this response.